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SECSTATE FOR INL/C/CJ AND EAP/RSP  
BANGKOK FOR ILEA

E.O. 12958: N/A

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SUBJ: HUMAN RIGHTS VETTING FOR CAMBODIAN NOMINEES FOR ILEA "COMPUTER  
CRIME INVESTIGATION" COURSE, FEBRUARY 22-MARCH 5, 2010 IN BANGKOK,  
THAILAND

REF: STATE 129439

[1](#)1. This is an EAP action cable. See Paragraph Six.

[1](#)2. Reftel is guidance for screening nominees for U.S.-sponsored  
training programs.

[1](#)3. To comply with the Leahy amendment relative to U.S. sponsored  
security assistance training, the U.S. Embassy Phnom Penh has  
conducted local human rights vetting for the following individuals  
selected for the "Computer Crime Investigation" Course, February  
22-March 5, 2010 in Bangkok, Thailand.

NOMINEES:

NAME: HAK, Kemrong (Male)  
DPOB: December 4, 1970; Kratie  
RANK/POSITION: Brig. General, Deputy Director  
DEPT/UNIT: Ministry of Interior, Interpol

NAME: SOK, Saret (Male)  
DPOB: September 19, 1970; Kampong Cham  
RANK/POSITION: Brig. General, Deputy Director  
DEPT/UNIT: Ministry of Interior, Immigration Police Department

ALTERNATES:

NAME: PHOK, Chantara (Male)  
DPOB: May 10, 1967; Phnom Penh  
RANK/POSITION: Major, Deputy Office Chief  
DEPT/UNIT: Ministry of Interior, Internal Security Department

NAME: PHOV, Duy (Male)  
DPOB: October 10, 1977; Kampot  
RANK/POSITION: Major, Deputy Office Chief  
DEPT/UNIT: Ministry of Interior, Personnel Department

[1](#)4. U.S. Embassy Phnom Penh has reviewed its files and finds that,  
as of this date, it possesses no credible information of gross  
violations of human rights by the above-mentioned individuals.

[1](#)5. The individuals will attend the "Computer Crime Investigation"  
Course, February 22-March 5, 2010 in Bangkok, Thailand. The course  
is sponsored by the United States Department of State and with  
instruction provided by the United States Federal Bureau of  
Investigation.

[1](#)6. Action request: Please verify whether the Department possesses  
any credible information that the individuals named above have been  
implicated in gross violations of human rights. Post requests a  
Leahy vetting response from the Department by February 12, 2010.

[1](#)7. Point of contact for Amembassy Phnom Penh is Jenae  
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